

Message

From: Sarnowski, Michael [msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us]
Sent: 6/21/2021 7:19:10 PM
To: McCracken, Betsy W. [mccracken.betsy@epa.gov]
CC: Tvenge, Mike [mtvenge@city.kodiak.ak.us]; [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)] Lohrman, Bridgette [lohrman.bridgette@epa.gov]; A.W. McAfee [awmcafee@resolvemarine.com]; Bahnke, Josephine [jbahnke@city.kodiak.ak.us]
Subject: RE: M/V Wild Alaskan

Betsy,

Thanks. They should be back in town the end of the month. So we would hopefully be able to schedule them soon. Just waiting on the official letter to put things in stone as we need to verify the dead ship tow with the Coast Guard as well as provide enough time to give the 48 and 12 hour notice to the CG and EPA.

v/r,
Mike

-----Original Message-----

From: McCracken, Betsy W. <mccracken.betsy@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, June 21, 2021 11:16 AM
To: Sarnowski, Michael <msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us>
Cc: Tvenge, Mike <mtvenge@city.kodiak.ak.us>; [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)] Lohrman, Bridgette <lohrman.bridgette@epa.gov>; A.W. McAfee <awmcafee@resolvemarine.com>
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Good morning, Mike,

Thank you for checking in. The letter is currently in the EPA program managers review process for approval and signature.

Is there an update on the tow vessel's timeline readiness?

Thank you,
Betsy

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From: Sarnowski, Michael <msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us>
Sent: Monday, June 21, 2021 11:04 AM
To: McCracken, Betsy W. <mccracken.betsy@epa.gov>
Cc: Tvenge, Mike <mtvenge@city.kodiak.ak.us>; [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)] Lohrman, Bridgette <lohrman.bridgette@epa.gov>; A.W. McAfee <awmcafee@resolvemarine.com>
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Betsy,

Greetings from beautiful Kodiak. Just checking in to see the progress on the letter.
Thank you,
Mike

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From: McCracken, Betsy W. <mccracken.betsy@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, June 11, 2021 12:18 PM
To: Sarnowski, Michael <msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us>
Cc: Tvenge, Mike <mtvenge@city.kodiak.ak.us>; [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)] Lohrman, Bridgette <lohrman.bridgette@epa.gov>
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No worries, Mike. Thank you very much.

I appreciate your reply to keep the process moving forward!

Betsy

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From: Sarnowski, Michael <msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us>
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Betsy,

Sorry for the delay. The draft is 9 feet and the full height of the vessel is about 95 feet.
Thanks again,
Mike

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From: McCracken, Betsy W. <mccracken.betsy@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 8:15 AM
To: Sarnowski, Michael <msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us>
Cc: Tvenge, Mike <mtvenge@city.kodiak.ak.us>; [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)] Lohrman, Bridgette <lohrman.bridgette@epa.gov>
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Good morning,

EPA has a couple of follow up questions regarding the Wild Alaskan. Can you please provide the following information gaps:

- 1) the draft of the vessel.
- 2) "the height of the vessel from the keel to the top of the tallest mast, or rigging that will remain in place, is XXX feet".

Thank you,
Betsy

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From: Sarnowski, Michael <msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us>
Sent: Saturday, May 29, 2021 8:10 AM
To: A.W. McAfee <awmcafee@resolvemarine.com>
Cc: McCracken, Betsy W. <mccracken.betsy@epa.gov>; Tvenge, Mike <mtvenge@city.kodiak.ak.us>; [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)] Lohrman, Bridgette <lohrman.bridgette@epa.gov>; [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)]
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Understood, please let me know and we can work it out. Thank you.
-Mike

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On May 28, 2021, at 5:54 PM, A.W. McAfee <awmcafee@resolvemarine.com> wrote:

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Mike,

We may have to push the schedule significantly, as the Mak Bay needs to be in DH the first week of June on another assignment.

We can discuss.

A.W.

On May 27, 2021, at 12:51 PM, Sarnowski, Michael <msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us> wrote:

Betsy,

Not a problem. We definitely understand. Nothing will move until we have a copy of that letter, please don't worry. If we can get the letter by the end of next week that would be wonderful. We will push our tentative movement to the week of June 7th.

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Could you please update our tow plan to reflect this change?

AW,

Do you see any problem with this for scheduling the Mak Bay?

v/r,
Mike

From: McCracken, Betsy W. <mccracken.betsy@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, May 27, 2021 12:01 PM
To: Sarnowski, Michael <msarnowski@city.kodiak.ak.us>; Tvenge, Mike <mtvenge@city.kodiak.ak.us>
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Good morning,

This is an update to let folks know that EPA's approval letter under the Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act for the scuttling of the M/V Wild Alaskan is currently being drafted. Once drafted it will be sent up the chain of command for disposal review and letter signature. The scuttling of the M/V Wild Alaskan is not approved until the letter has been issued to Mr. Tvenge.

Please be advised that within the approval letter there are notification requirements that include 1) at least 48-hour advance notice of intent to dispose of the vessel and 2) at least 12-hour notice of intent to dispose of the vessel.

We will get the approval letter to Mr. Tvenge once it is ready for issuance. Please note that the scuttling is not approved until EPA's approval letter has been issued. EPA will strive to release the letter by the end of next week.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Thank you for your patience,
Betsy

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